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AMENDMENT

S I R:

Applicant hereby requests a three-month extension of the original shortened statutory period set in the Office Action of August 27, 2007. Enclosed is a credit card payment form in the amount of \$1050 in payment of the government fee for a three-month extension of time.

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In response to the Office action dated August 27, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including an Abstract of the Disclosure on a separate sheet and a Substitute Specification is attached following page 22 of this paper.